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Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In re Application of:

Ron L. Kelm, et al.

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For: SHALLOW WATER RISER

**SUPPORT** 

Dear Sir/Madam:

## Enclosed are the following:

- 1. Request For Continued Examination (RCE) MPEP 706.07(b)
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